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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER



Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 is the patent application of:

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FOR: HEAT RADIATION SHIELD COATING COMPOSITION

Enclosed are:

- Four (4) sheets of drawings.
- An Assignment of the invention to: Nippon Paint Co., Ltd.
- A certified copy of the Japanese priority application No. 44247/2000 filed February 22, 2000.
- An associate power of attorney.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.9 and 1.27.
- A Preliminary Amendment.
- A Notice of Informal Filing of New Patent Application.

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Sir:

The undersigned has been authorized by the Applicants, Ryoji Ishihara, Keita Mizutani and Nobuto Fujii, to file the enclosed patent application, and to defer filing of the Declaration/Power of Attorney.

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